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Weston (Vt.)

Auditors' report, town of
Weston, for the year ending

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AUDITORS' REPORT

OF THE

Town of Weston, Vt.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 4

1911

BRING THIS BOOK TO TOWN MEETING



HANOVER, N. H.
THE DARTMOUTH PRESS
1911

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1910

Moderator, H. I. Walker

Clerk, Emma C. Peabody

Treasurer J. A. Parkhurst

Selectmen, W. S. Shattuck, J. W. Carver, W. H. Sheppard

School Directors, Annie M. Woodcock, C. A. Smith, J. N. Waite

Road Commissioners, G. E. Benson, G. T. Foster

Listers, W. E. Benson, H. C. Peck, G. T. Foster

Grand Juror and Trustee of Public Money, J. N. Waite

Constables, C. J. Winship, O. T. Sparks

Agent, W. H. Sheppard

Tree Warden, E. E. French

Surveyor of Wood and Lumber, W. E. Benson

Fence Viewers, J. F. Austin, W. S. Shattuck, H. I. Walker

Library Trustees, W. B. Johnson, F. W. Bolster, C. A. Smith, J. N. Waite, Edward Wilder

Grand List for 1910, \$2948.68.

Tax Raised: Town Expenses, 60 cents; For Indebtedness, 30 cents; Highways, 40 cents; Schools, 65 cents; State Road, 11 cents; Library, 1 cent.

The Grand List for the coming year should be a little over \$3100.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

TOWN OF WESTON

For the Year Ending February 5, 1911

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

1910

Mar.	I	No. I	W. G. Austin, services as select-	
			man	\$ 10 00
	I	2	J. W. Carver, services as select-	
			man	1 50
	I	3	W. S. Shattuck, services as	
			selectman	5 25
	I	4	Annie M. Woodcock, services as	
			school director	10 00
	I	5	Frank Lovejoy, services as	
			school director	6 00
	I	6	C. A. Smith, school director and	
			taking census	12 00
	I	7	C. J. Winship, services as truant	
			officer	6 75
	I	8	W. E. Benson, services as over-	
			seer	10 00
	I	9	J. N. Waite, services as grand	
			juror	3 00
	I	10	A. L. Waite, services as auditor	7 75

Mar.	1	11	Frank Lovejoy, services as auditor	\$ 7 50
	1	12	C. A. Smith, services as auditor	7 50
	1	13	J. A. Parkhurst, services as treasurer	84 77
	1	14	Emma C. Peabody, services as town clerk	21 22
	1	15	Stickney, Sargent and Skeels, legal services	16 00
	3	16	L. S. Bolster, care of town clock	9 00
	7	17	C. A. Smith, getting town reports printed	25 50
	7	18	Grace E. Gilmore, express and postage on town reports	2 68
	12	19	E. C. Peabody, Congregational church fund	12 58
	12	20	A. M. Woodcock, Baptist church fund	12 58
	12	21	Hattie Bolster, Methodist church fund	12 58
	15	22	Cudworth and Pierce, services in Hart cases	7 80
Apr.	1	23	E. M. Colburn, board of H. S. Kile 26 days	15 00
	4	24	Joseph Belville, board of H. S. Kile 17 days	6 00
	4	25	J. A. Parkhurst, clothing for H. S. Kile	2 45
	4	26	B. R. French, janitor of Fire Co. to May 1	12 00
	7	27	W. E. Benson, electric lights to April 1	38 75
May	2	28	P. H. Fuller, work on bridge and plank	15 40
	16	29	R. K. Taylor, work in cemetery on O. A. Peck's lot and near it	13 85

May	17	30	W. B. Tyrel, tuning town organ	\$ 3 50
	25	31	R. K. Taylor, work on bridges, etc.	7 21
	30	32	W. B. Foster, cutting brush	2 10
June	1	33	Anna Simeneau, nursing at Hobart's	31 10
	1	34	Cora Rugg, boarding nurse at Hobart's	3 57
	8	35	J. A. Parkhurst, state school tax	238 16
	8	36	J. A. Parkhurst, state highway tax	148 85
	8	37	J. N. Waite, interest on U. S. surplus fund	73 60
	9	38	C. A. Smith, medical attendance for Joe Wood, Alec Little and services and expense as health officer	32 00
	15	39	Mrs. Emma Fuller, board and care of Fred Austin	10 00
July	20	40	J. A. Parkhurst, county tax	14 89
	23	41	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for Wood, Russell, and Little	53 11
Aug.	3	42	C. J. Winship, service on dog warrant	1 50
	3	43	W. E. Benson, goods for Wood	2 77
	6	44	B. R. French, janitor of Fire Co.	6 75
	15	45	Polly Pease, care of water	1 00
	27	46	R. K. Taylor, work on bridges	10 17
	27	47	R. K. Taylor, work on cemetery fence	1 50
	29	48	C. A. Smith, attending health officers' school	20 00
Sept.	6	49	Vermont Tribune, printing ballots	2 50
	6	50	Harry Peck, taking list and appraising real estate	26 25

Sept.	15	51	Frank Stoddard, cutting brush	\$ 4 50
	21	52	G. T. Foster, services as lister	34 50
	24	53	Edward Wilder, insurance assessment	6 30
	24	54	Edward Wilder, casket and funeral expenses for Joe Wood	30 00
	24	55	Edward Wilder, casket, robe and going to Ludlow, for Mrs. Hobart	30 00
	27	56	Alden Fuller, cutting brush	17 70
	28	57	C. J. Winship, attending general election and expense	4 50
Oct.	1	58	W. W. Hosley, cutting brush	11 10
	5	59	Frank Stoddard, cutting brush	1 50
	6	60	W. E. Benson, services as lister	31 74
	20	61	E. J. Davis, 10ft. of 10in. sewer pipe	2 70
	24	62	B. R. French, services as janitor of Fire Co. to Nov. 1	6 00
Nov.	1	63	R. K. Taylor, work on bridges	5 15
	4	64	Joe Bellville, work on bridges, etc	7 50
	4	1	Dr. J. T. McGinity, medical services for Chas. Hobart's family	8 00
	15	2	A. A. Atwater, cutting brush and work on bridge	2 50
	19	3	Joseph Bellville, work on bridges	1 50
	23	4	R. K. Taylor, work on bridge and ditch	2 25
	26	5	J. W. Carver, cutting brush and cash paid	18 43
	28	6	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for Alec Little from Aug. 26 to Nov. 28	15 06
Dec.	29	7	W. S. Shattuck, work on bridges, cash paid, and material	54 97
	29	8	W. F. Kile, cutting brush	6 30

1911				
Jan.	16	9	C. A. Smith, library appropriation	\$ 54 46
	16	10	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for Hobart family	19 64
	25	11	August Hotz, work in Island cemetery	3 00
	25	11	C. J. Winship, taxes abated Jan. 25, 1911	60 23
	25	12	W. H. Sheppard, bridge plank and cutting brush	29 25
	25	13	P. H. Fuller, drawing stone for bridge	2 00
	25	14	Robert Bellville, work on bridges	1 50
	25	15	E. W. White, blacksmithing	40
	25	16	W. S. Shattuck, admr., stone for bridge	1 00
	28	17	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for Moses Montee	1 66
	28	18	C. A. Smith, services as health officer	5 00
	28	19	Dr. C. A. Smith, medical attendance for Moses Montee	5 00
	28	20	Mary Wadleigh, care of Moses Montee to date	2 00
	28	21	Alexander Marshall, doing chores for Moses Montee to date	2 00
	28	22	Willis Smith, damage done to sheep by dogs	5 00
	28	23	C. J. Winship, taxes abated Jan. 30, 1909	11 29
	28	24	W. S. Shattuck, two trips to Ludlow, supplies furnished and cash paid for Hobart family	5 15
	31	25	B. R. French, Fire Co., janitor to Feb. 1	6 00
	31	26	F. A. Simonds, keeping tramp	1 00
	31	27	J. A. Parkhurst, grass seed and nails	66
				<hr/> \$1,604 38

OVERSEER'S REPORT, SUPPORT OF POOR

1910			
Feb. 28	No. 1	W. E. Benson, for James Russell	\$ 7 78
28	2	W. E. Benson, for Alec Little	11 38
28	3	W. E. Benson, for Joseph Wood	15 47
28	4	W. E. Benson, for Mrs. Hosley	75
28	5	Mrs. W. W. Hosley, care of Mrs. Hosley to March 1, 1910	10 00
			<u>\$ 45 38</u>

W. E. BENSON, Overseer of Poor

AMOUNT PAID BY SELECTMEN FOR POOR

Horace Kile:

E. M. Colburn, board and care	\$15 00
Joseph Bellville, board and care	6 00
A. J. Parkhurst, clothing	2 45
	<u>----- \$ 23 45</u>

Charles Hobart family:

Annie F. Simeneau, nursing	31 10
Cora Rugg, boarding nurse	3 57
J. A. Parkhurst, goods	20 39
J. T. McGinity, M.D., medical services	8 00
W. S. Shattuck, cash for supplies, etc.	5 15
Edward Wilder, casket and robe	30 00
	<u>----- \$ 98 21</u>

James Russell:

J. A. Parkhurst, goods	\$ 5 15
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Alec Little:

J. A. Parkhurst, goods	40 76
C. A. Smith, M.D., medical services	1 25
	<u>----- \$ 42 01</u>

Joseph Wood:

J. A. Parkhurst, goods	21 51
W. E. Benson, goods	2 77
C. A. Smith, M.D., medical services	13 00
Edward Wilder, casket and robe	30 00
	<u>----- \$ 67 28</u>

Moses Montee:

C. A. Smith, M. D., medical services	\$ 5 00
Mary Wadleigh, care	2 00
Alexander Marshall, doing chores	2 00
J. A. Parkhurst, goods	1 66
	<hr/> \$ 10 66
Fred Austin:	
Mrs. M. R. Fuller, board and care	\$ 10 00
F. A. Simonds keeping a tramp	1 00
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Total cost for support of poor	\$303 14

SCHOOL DIRECTORS' REPORT

RECEIPTS

Balance on treasurer's ledger last year	\$ 163 63
Amount received on taxes, etc.	1,884 09
Amount from state	883 43
Amount on leases	34 62
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	\$2,965 77

EXPENDITURES

1910	No.		
Feb. 10	112	Harold A. Severy, teaching high school	\$ 40 00
12	113	Bertha M. Slack, teaching grammar school	87 75
14	114	Helen J. Wilder, teaching Shattuck school	32 00
14	115	Helen J. Wilder, janitor service	1 50
17	116	Louis Russell, conveyance to school	5 00
23	117	Fannie J. Parkhurst, teaching intermediate	32 00
26	118	Irma A. Brown, teaching primary	72 00

Mar.	3	119	Harold A. Severy, balance for high school	\$ 66 33
	4	120	E. H. Dorsey, services as supt.	11 32
	4	121	Don Emerson, janitor Village school	15 00
	4	122	W. E. Benson, wood and brush	1 43
	4	123	J. A. Parkhurst, supplies	4 63
	30	124	Tuition for Richard Bolster at Brattleboro	24 00
	30	125	C. A. Smith, wood	3 50
	30	126	E. H. Dorsey, supt. services to April 1	22 44
Apr.	18	127	Geo. Benson, wood and sawing	82 05
	30	1	H. A. Severy, 1 month teaching high school	55 56
	30	2	Fannie Parkhurst, teaching high school	32 00
	30	3	Bertha Slack, teaching high school	38 00
May	2	4	Irma Brown, teaching 2 weeks	16 00
	6	5	E. H. Dorsey, supt.	11 32
	7	6	Leola Pease, teaching Bennett school	32 00
	7	7	Ethel Brown, teaching Island school	32 00
	12	8	W. G. Austin, frgt. on supplies	1 55
	13	9	Helen Wilder, teaching Shat- tuck school	40 00
	19	10	G. Van Amerige, tuning piano	3 50
June	3	11	Fannie Parkhurst, teaching	32 00
	3	12	H. A. Severy, teaching	55 56
	3	13	H. A. Severy, music for Memo- rial day	68
	6	14	J. L. Hammitt, supplies	36 66
	9	15	Irma Brown, teaching	16 00

une	9	16	Leola Pease, teaching	\$ 24 00
	13	17	Helen Wilder, teaching	16 00
	15	18	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	11 32
	24	19	H. A. Severy, teaching	55 55
	25	20	Bertha Slack, teaching	76 00
	25	21	Bertha Slack, postage and rib- bon on diplomas	44
	25	22	Ethel Brown, teaching	56 00
	27	23	Helen Wilder, teaching	32 00
	28	24	Irma Brown, teaching	64 00
	28	25	W. R. Allen, printing examina- tion questions	5 00
	28	26	E. J. Plantier, lettering diplomas	2 80
July	9	27	Milton Waite, janitor Bennett school	1 75
	11	28	Fannie Parkhurst, teaching	32 00
	14	29	Blanche Burt, janitor, Island	1 75
	15	30	Leola Pease, teaching	32 00
	20	31	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	11 32
	30	32	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	12 00
Aug.	9	33	E. E. French, 1 cord slab wood	2 00
	19	34	E. J. Foster, putting on roofing	5 59
	24	35	H. S. Waite, janitor and putting in wood	15 45
	27	36	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	15 02
	27	37	Frank Lovejoy, putting on roof- ing	5 60
	29	38	C. A. Smith, repairs	5 15
	29	39	C. E. Bolster, insurance assess- ments	7 80
	29	40	Mrs. L. French, papering pri- mary room	1 40
	31	41	C. J. Winship, work on school- houses	16 60
	31	42	J. Bellville, cutting trees Ben- nett school yard	4 50

Sept.	1	43	E. P. Woods, cleaning and work on schoolhouses	\$ 27 22
	8	44	Geo. Clayton, freight on desk from Rutland	6 20
	21	45	Daniel Rugg, cutting trees Ben- nett yard	4 50
	21	46	Frank Benson, work on school- houses	17 60
	23	47	E. C. Woods, work and 2 gal. paint for schoolhouses	39 70
	27	48	W. A. French, work on school- houses	4 75
	29	49	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	13 51
	29	50	J. N. Waite, work and paid out on schoolhouses	42 89
	29	51	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for re- pairs	79 33
Oct.	1	52	Frank Shea, teaching high school	48 00
	1	53	Clara French, teaching primary school	28 00
	1	54	Maude French, teaching Bennett school	28 00
	4	55	Leola Pease, teaching intermedi- ate school	28 00
	7	56	Ethel Bowen, teaching Island school	32 00
	8	57	Della Haskins, teaching Shat- tuck school	28 00
	14	58	Fannie Parkhurst, teaching grammar school	54 00
	24	59	W. E. Benson, freight on floor- ing from Chester	6 00
	25	60	Frank Shea, teaching	48 00
	29	61	Maude French, teaching	21 00
	29	62	Henry Hostler, desk for Island school	45 75

Oct.	29	63	C. H. Waterman, 120ft. hard-wood flooring	\$ 36 00
	29	64	Tuttle Co., order book and Con- ant's Vt.	12 50
	29	65	Della Hoskins, teaching	21 00
Nov.	1	66	Leola Pease, teaching	21 00
	2	67	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	13 51
	9	68	H. Ray Coburn, janitor Village	4 00
	18	69	Della Hoskins, teaching	28 00
	18	70	Della Hoskins, janitor service	2 00
	18	71	Frank Shea, teaching	36 00
	19	72	Fred Waite, janitor Bennett	2 00
	19	73	Clara French, teaching	49 00
	19	74	Maude French, teaching	28 00
	22	75	Fannie Parkhurst, teaching	45 00
	23	76	Leola Pease, teaching	33 50
	26	77	Ethel Bowen, teaching	56 00
	26	78	Blanche Burt, janitor Island	2 00
Dec.	1	79	C. E. Bolster, insuring Village house	9 80
	1	80	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	13 51
	13	81	E. E. French, slab wood	2 00
	16	82	H. Ray Coburn, janitor Village	7 00
	23	83	Della Hoskins, teaching	28 00
	23	84	Leola Pease, teaching	30 00
	23	85	Maude French, teaching	28 00
	23	86	Helen Wilder, spring janitor service	1 50
	23	87	Ethel Bowen, teaching	32 00
	23	88	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent	13 51
	23	89	Frank Shea, teaching	48 00
	24	90	Clara French, teaching	28 00
	26	91	W. B. Foster, 12 1-2 cords wood	40 63
	26	92	Tuition to Brattleboro for Rich- ard Bolster, Carol Drury, Er- vin French, and Harold Waite for fall term	32 00
	26	93	Tuition to Ludlow for Lucella Taylor, Winona Shattuck, and Marion Sheppard	24 00

1911			
Jan.	21	94	Fannie Parkhurst, teaching \$ 63 00
	23	95	R. K. Taylor, splitting and putting in wood 3 44
	25	96	E. H. Dorsey, superintendent 13 51
	27	97	Della Haskins, teaching 28 00
	27	98	Della Haskins, janitor service 2 00
	27	99	Tuition to Chester for Jessie Marble 8 00
	27	100	E. Babb and Co., supplies 30 67
	27	101	Tuttle Co., report blanks 3 00
	27	102	Annie Woodcock, postage and freight on supplies 1 78
	27	103	Frank Shea, teaching 48 00
	27	104	Will Chadwick, board for Shippey girl 5 40
	28	105	Leola Pease, teaching 22 50
	30	106	Clara French, teaching 21 00
Feb.	1	107	Blanche Burt, janitor Island 2 00
	1	108	E. M. Colburn, 1 cd. stove wood 3 50
	1	109	B. F. Wheldon, stove pipe, jackets, registers, etc., for Shattuck, Bennett and Island schools 54 12
	1	110	T. E. Ridlow, repairs 75
	1	111	J. A. Parkhurst, supplies for repairs 1 82
	1	112	Fred Waite, janitor and putting in wood 2 75
	3	113	B. C. Newell, conveying scholars 20 00
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			\$3,081 97

Orders drawn above money received for school purposes \$116 20

ANNIE M. WOODCOCK	} School Directors
C. A. SMITH	
J. N. WAITE	

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Amount received from town taxes	\$1,177 40
Dynamite sold	15 00
"Maintenance Fund"	86 55

\$1,278 95

1910

Feb.	15	No. 1	John Willis, breaking roads	\$ 11 40
	15	2	D. A. Orkins, breaking roads	5 25
	17	3	P. H. Fuller, plank furnished	8 25
	19	4	Fred Richardson, breaking roads	7 77
	24	5	George Benson	19 85
	25	6	Alec Pelkey, breaking roads	6 15
	25	7	Fred Graves, breaking roads and cash paid	51 65
Mar.	1	8	Robert Belville, cutting out ice	90
	1	9	Burt Newell, cutting out ice	90
	1	10	Barney Foster, breaking roads	3 45
	1	11	E. A. Bolster	21 90
	1	21	W. B. Bolster	20 00
	1	31	Joe Gabert	19 80
	1	14	Peder Pederson	2 00
	1	15	G. T. Shattuck	4 30
	1	16	C. L. Richardson, work on road	75
	3	17	W. E. Benson, breaking roads	29 40
	7	18	Jesse Marble	3 67
	10	19	S. M. Hodge	15 61
	26	20	John Willis	8 86
	31	21	Alec Little	1 05
Apr.	4	22	W. G. Austin	56 00
	4	23	George Cook	12 00
	5	24	P. H. Fuller	7 50
	9	25	E. R. Hatch	16 20
	9	26	William Pease	1 65
	9	27	James Taylor	7 58

Apr.	13	28	Earl Wilkins, breaking roads	\$ 6 30
May	2	29	W. B. Johnson “	3 59
	14	30	W. W. Hart, work on roads	9 45
	14	31	Henry Batease “	5 00
	17	32	G. T. Shattuck “	16 70
	17	33	J. W. Hale “	7 57
	20	34	Ned Richardson “	20 65
	30	35	Joe Bellville “	10 00
	30	36	George Benson “	25 00
	30	37	David Carver “	56 25
June	2	38	O. L. Hart “	68
	16	39	Frank Stevens, breaking roads	50
	16	40	E. R. Tuttle, work on roads	25 00
	18	41	Henry Batease, work on roads	2 00
	23	42	Leon Monier, breaking roads	34 25
	24	43	George Benson, work on roads	10 00
	25	44	S. M. Hodge, breaking roads	4 55
	25	45	Ned Richardson, work on roads	15 75
	25	46	Edward Pease, work on roads	40 13
	25	47	H. I. Decell “	26 13
	25	48	W. W. Hart “	13 50
	25	49	Daniel Rugg “	18 00
	27	50	Peder Pederson “	5 00
July	1	51	George Benson “	10 00
	2	52	Joseph Belville “	14 00
	4	53	E. R. Tuttle “	30 00
	4	54	Henry Batease “	5 00
	4	55	John Fabricius “	5 00
	4	56	Fried Boynton, dynamite	25 50
	4	57	G. E. Benson, work on roads	42 00
	11	58	R. K. Taylor “	15 00
	11	59	G. E. Benson “	40 00
	30	60	E. C. Jaquith, breaking roads	7 90
Aug.	8	61	Henry Batease, work on roads	15 64
	8	62	E. P. Blodgett “	95

Aug.	30	63	H. W. Kile, breaking roads	\$ 8 00
	30	64	E. Colburn, work on roads	75
Sept.	1	65	Alec Pelkey "	5 00
	1	66	G. E. Benson "	9 43
	1	67	E. R. Tuttle "	5 64
	6	68	Alec Pelkey "	6 00
	12	69	Alec Pelkey "	6 88
	15	70	E. J. Foster "	10 00
	17	71	A. B. Black, repairs	9 00
	22	72	Joseph Belville, work on roads	10 77
	22	73	R. K. Taylor, work on roads	10 75
	22	74	E. H. Atwater, breaking roads	2 29
	30	75	L. E. Benson, repairs	4 35
Oct.	1	76	D. W. Rugg, work on roads	12 00
Sept.	30	77	Joseph Bellville "	3 00
Oct.	3	78	E. R. Tuttle "	14 23
	3	79	G. E. Benson "	11 01
	10	80	H. I. Decell "	6 00
	15	81	W. B. Foster "	7 90
	22	82	Joseph Belville "	5 25
	22	83	A. L. Waite "	3 00
	31	84	R. K. Taylor "	11 17
	31	85	F. L. Benson "	11 25
Nov.	2	86	Harry Kile "	8 50
	8	87	G. E. Benson "	16 83
	22	88	E. E. French, work on roads and plank	10 46
1911				
Jan.	9	89	P. T. Shattuck, work on roads	2 62
	9	90	H. G. Alexander, breaking roads	6 00
	28	91	W. E. Benson, plank and work	6 55
	28	92	E. W. White, repairs	2 45
	28	93	W. F. Kile, work on roads	90
Feb.	1	94	J. A. Parkhurst, for shovels	3 60
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				\$1,132 41

Deficit in road treasury last year	\$ 53 14
Amount overdrawn by permanent road commissioner this year	1 35
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	\$1,186 90
Balance to be used by road commissioner	\$92 05

GEORGE E. BENSON, Road Commissioner

PERMANENT ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Amount of town and state appropriations 1910 \$ 996 43

May	12	No. 1	G. T. Foster, state road work	\$ 6 00
	18	2	Alex Little	15 75
	18	3	H. W. Kile	17 50
	20	4	G. T. Foster	6 83
	20	5	G. A. Clayton	18 37
	20	6	P. H. Fuller	30 52
	20	7	E. J. Foster	16 87
	20	8	O. L. Hart	19 12
	20	9	D. A. Orkins	42 87
	20	10	Frank Stephens	19 12
	20	11	John Priest	1 50
	26	12	M. J. Austin	39 37
	26	13	G. T. Foster	16 35
	28	14	G. T. Foster	7 00
June	1	15	G. T. Foster	30 00
	11	15	F. Stephens	3 00
	13	16	G. T. Foster	22 00
	16	17	C. E. Tuttle	10 50
	18	18	Leon Monnier	2 00
	18	19	D. A. Orkins	25 00
	24	20	E. F. Eastman, stone for sluice	2 00

June	25	21	P. H. Fuller, state road work	\$ 38 50
	25	22	G. T. Foster	7 00
	25	23	Seymour Payne	6 00
	25	24	E. J. Foster	22 50
	25	25	G. A. Clayton	23 62
	25	26	O. L. Hart	24 00
	25	27	D. A. Orkins	21 00
	25	28	Frank Stephens	18 00
	25	29	George Stephens	9 87
	25	30	Edward Wilder, work by S. Payne	7 50
	28	31	G. T. Foster, work on state road	26 00
July	6	32	F. A. Boynton, dynamite	11 50
	6	33	G. T. Foster, work and expense on state road	25 34
Aug.	10	34	Joseph Jelley, work on state road	1 50
Sept.	6	35	G. E. Benson, work and dyna- mite for state road	15 00
	10	36	Allie Orkins, work on state road	14 00
	10	37	George Stephens	6 00
	13	38	J. A. Willis	15 00
	16	39	George Russell	3 00
	16	40	Horace Russell	6 00
	17	41	Allie Orkins	17 50
	17	42	Seymour Payne	5 00
	21	44	Frank Stoddard	9 00
	23	45	E. J. Foster	15 25
	23	46	G. T. Foster	3 25
	23	47	Frank Willis	19 50
	23	48	O. L. Hart	22 50
	23	49	George Stevens	15 75
	23	50	J. A. Willis	29 75
	23	51	J. A. Willis	7 50
	23	52	E. R. Tuttle	15 35
	23	53	E. R. Tuttle	22 00

June	8	Chester Savings Bank, borrowed money	\$700 00
	21	Received three bob-cat bounties	6 00
July	8	W. H. Sheppard, borrowed money	250 00
	16	J. B. Wilder, borrowed money	300 00
		Fine and costs in Leffingwell case	20 64
	18	E. H. Deavitt, income permanent school fund	102 90
		E. H. Deavitt, state school tax	345 11
	22	E. H. Deavitt, income permanent school fund balance	68 13
	22	E. H. Deavitt, state school tax balance	204 39
	25	Tuition from Mt. Holly	6 00
		Tuition from Harry Viets	4 00
		A. M. Woodcock, use of school house hall	2 00
	30	E. H. Deavitt, transportation	33 49
		E. H. Deavitt, higher instruction	18 00
Aug.	12	Frank Lord, lease 1910	4 00
	26	C. J. Winship, highway tax 1909	3 75
		“ town tax 1908	6 72
		“ school tax 1908	5 00
		“ highway tax 1908	6 25
		“ school tax 1902-1907	19 00
		“ highway tax 1904-1907	19 00
		“ town tax 1902-1907	30 00
Sept.	1	J. A. Parkhurst, highway tax 1910	1,397 66
		G. T. Foster, dynamite sold	15 00
	23	E. H. Deavitt, state highway tax	396 43
Oct.	3	J. A. Parkhurst, school tax 1910	1,771 04
	8	E. H. Deavitt, for school supt.	111 41
Nov.	1	C. E. Carver, lease 1910	3 50
	4	W. B. Foster, lease 1910	7 50
		J. A. Parkhurst, town tax 1910	2,445 03
	15	E. H. Deavitt, permanent highway fund	300 00
	23	E. P. Blodgett, school tax 1907	13 85

Dec. 15	W. B. Johnson, lease 1910	\$ 3 20
27	E. H. Deavitt, automobile fund	86 55
Jan. 27	E. C. Peabody, dog license money	3 90
28	J. N. Waite, use of school hall	3 00
	C. J. Winship, highway tax 1910	34 35
	“ town tax 1910	47 40
	“ school tax 1910	32 98
	“ town tax 1909	1 00
	“ taxes abated Jan. 30, 1909	11 29
	“ highway tax 1904-1907	4 20
	“ school tax 1904-1907	5 97
	“ town tax 1904-1907	4 27
	“ taxes abated Jan. 25, 1911	60 23
	“ town tax 1908	1 23
	“ school tax 1908	1 35
	“ highway tax 1908	1 07
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		\$12,259 93

AMOUNT PAID OUT BY TREASURER

Support of Poor	\$ 348 69
Support of Schools	3,124 47
Breaking roads	414 07
Work on roads and supplies	719 94
Town officers' bills	266 98
State road	997 78
Miscellaneous	4,819 24
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	\$10,691 17
Balance in treasury	\$1,568 76
Balance in highway treasury	\$143 59
Deficit in school treasury	\$158 70

“Miscellaneous” bills paid by the treasurer is composed of the regular selectmen’s orders and the following items.

1910

Mar.	3	Anna E. Buss, borrowed money and interest	\$160 83
	4	Ann M. Howe, interest on borrowed money	5 00
		G. E. Coleman, borrowed money and interest	329 58
		G. E. Coleman, borrowed money and interest	385 51
	26	Costs in Gabert, Stoddard, Jaquith case	22 53
Apr.	28	I. F. Smith, interest on borrowed money	25 00
May	2	Mary F. Jaquith, interest on borrowed money	25 00
June	3	Costs in Gabert, Stoddard, Jaquith case	8 80
		Chester Savings bank, interest	25 00
	9	E. R. Hatch, interest on borrowed money	27 50
July	16	Costs in Leffingwell case	10 64
	18	Chester Savings bank, borrowed money and interest	315 00
Aug.	2	Ann M. Howe, interest	25 00
	4	Chester Savings bank, borrowed money and interest	632 45
	6	E. R. Hatch, borrowed money and interest	303 34
	26	Ann M. Howe, interest	20 00
Oct.	28	I. F. Smith, interest on Betsy Smith order	25 00
Nov.	26	Jennie Wilder, interest	51 25
		Jennie Wilder, principal and interest	155 99
Dec.	13	Ann M. Howe, payment on principal	100 00
	24	E. R. Hatch, principal and interest	256 80
	31	W. H. Sheppard, principal and interest	255 83
	31	W. H. Sheppard, principal and interest	514 58

1911

Jan. 9	Costs in Elmer Pease case	\$35 24
	Costs in C. R. Rollins case	11 19
	Birth and death certificates	4 75
	Bounties on 27 hedgehogs	21 60

\$3,753 41

J. A. PARKHURST, Treasurer

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS

W. S. Shattuck, services as selectman, looking after poor and money paid out	\$ 14 40
J. W. Carver, services as selectman	10 00
W. H. Shepard, services as selectman	10 00
Annie M. Woodcock, services as school director	10 00
C. A. Smith	10 00
J. N. Waite	5 00
J. N. Waite, services as grand juror	3 00
C. J. Winship, services as truant officer, 1-2 day with civil authority and killing dog	7 75
Mrs. C. J. Winship, boarding prisoners during past six years	6 00
F. W. Bolster, 1-2 day with civil authority	75
C. A. Smith, services as auditor and expense	9 50
J. N. Waite, services as auditor 4 days	6 00
A. L. Waite, services as auditor 5 1-2 days	8 25

\$100 65

EMMA C. PEABODY, Town Clerk

Preparing inventories	\$ 75
Attending town and Freemen's meetings	4 00
Statistics for superintendent of education	4 53
Abstract for secretary of state	1 50
List of transfers	1 50
Statistics for state board of health	3 50

Recording town business and mortgages	\$ 3 80	
Recording births, deaths, etc.	2 40	
Two meetings with civil authority	1 50	
Cash paid for dog license book, express and postage	2 25	
	-----	\$25 73

J. A. PARKHURST, Treasurer

To collecting \$5,613 73 taxes	\$56 14	
Warrants for 57 delinquents	3 75	
Six receipt books	2 10	
Postage and stationery	2 00	
Services as treasurer	20 00	
	-----	\$83 99

Amount of town officers' bills	\$210 37
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

BORROWED MONEY ORDERS UNPAID

Order	B	Chester bank	\$ 500 00
	F	Jennie Wilder	1,000 00
	H	F. A. Simonds	200 00
	I	Mary P. Jaquith	500 00
	J	Betsy Smith	85 00
	L	Frank Davis	105 25
	M	Chester bank	1,000 00
	O	Chester bank	500 00
	Q	Chester bank	700 00
	S	Jennie Wilder	300 00
	X	F. A. Simonds	200 00
	Y	Ann M. Howe	200 00
	Z	Ann M. Howe	425 00
	L	Ann M. Howe	300 00
			\$6,015 25

Town officers' bills unpaid	\$210 37
School bills for winter term unpaid	232 19
School orders unpaid	2 75
Road orders unpaid	8 40
	----- \$ 453 71
	<u>\$6,468 96</u>

RESOURCES OF THE TOWN

Due from Charles Hart estate	\$38 00
Due from Londonderry, tuition for scholars	12 00
Due on school leases	125 08
Due on church leases	45 00
Due on Coleman's tax receipts	48 00
Due on Blodgett's tax receipts	74 66
Due on Winship's tax receipts	192 33
Balance in town treasury	1,568 76
Liquor on hand	85 41
L. S. Bolster, town hall account	4 65
Fred Boynton, use of road scraper	2 00
Weston grange, use of school hall	12 00
J. W. Carver, for old lease	10 00
	----- \$2,217 89

Balance of indebtedness	\$4,251 07
U. S. surplus, school money	\$1,472 00
The Peck cemetery fund	300 00
The Cragin cemetery fund	110 25

Interest from the Peck fund has been used in the cemetery.

The Cragin fund has not yet been used but will be later.

The selectmen report no guide posts needed.

The health officer reports school houses and other public buildings to be in a reasonably sanitary condition.

The town's indebtedness has been decreased about six hundred dollars during the year.

Having examined the treasurer's book and town officers' bills we respectfully submit this report.

C. A. SMITH	}	Auditors
J. N. WAITE		
A. L. WAITE		

WILDER MEMORIAL LIBRARY

We are glad to announce at this time that the town now has a free public library of its own. The deed for the land and building having just been received from Lewis Parkhurst. The town certainly ought to feel grateful for what Mr. and Mrs. Parkhurst and the other descendants of John Wilder have done in fitting up and giving to us as nice a little library as any town could desire. Mr. Parkhurst has also sent us about fifty new books during the year and also his check for fifty dollars to help in paying the annual expenses.

With what books have been previously purchased or donated by the library's many friends we now have a list of eleven hundred and ninety-six excellent books.

The librarian, Miss Nanna J. French, and her assistant, Miss Mabel R. French, report that there have been two thousand two hundred and eighty visitors at the library during the year. The number of different people registered being three hundred and forty-three.

Number of books circulated was one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five. Number of magazines, four hundred and fourteen.

The books have also been circulated in the district schools, which has been a help to both pupils and teachers.

It is our desire to make the library as useful as possible to you, and so we again urge you to make suggestions to us at any time. Give us a list of any good books or magazines which you wish to read or would like to see in the library.

A list of historical and interesting cards has been started by the librarian. Have you a good one to add to the collection?

Library days are Wednesday from 5 to 9 p. m., and Saturday from 2 to 6 and 7 to 9 p. m.

The financial account for the year is as follows:

By balance from last year	\$23 98
proceeds from recital	12 80
town appropriation	54 46
Lewis Parkhurst	50 00
catalogue sale and fines	3 10
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	\$ 144 34
To G. H. Coburn, salary for his last three months' service as librarian	\$ 4 50
Nanna J. French, librarian to Feb., 1911	49 00
Nanna J. French, extra work cataloguing	1 40
Magazines	10 65
Electric lights to Jan. 1, 1911	10 00
Wood	10 37
Supplies	4 73
E. C. Woods, for work	2 75
Extra leaves for catalogues	1 50
Books, postage, etc.	1 89
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	\$ 96 79
Balance on hand	\$ 47 55

C. A. SMITH, Treasurer

BIRTHS IN WESTON, 1910

- Feb. 28 A son, Malcolm Earl, to Harlie I. and Minnie (French) Decell.
- Apr. 11 A daughter, Viola Mary, to Archie W. and Lucy M. (Foster) Chadburn.
- May 3 A son, Lawrence Edwin, to Carrie Mabel Fuller.
- July 27 A daughter, Helen Fannie, to Chester and Mary I. (Taft) Carver.
- Aug. 13 A daughter, Mildred Nellie, to John Gilman and Grace Ellen (Martin) Waite.
- Aug. 26 A son, Kenneth George, to George A. and Blanche M. (Shattuck) Clayton.
- Nov. 12 A son, Myland James, to William J. and Flossie (Wilkins) Tracy.
- Nov. 12 A son, Merlin Eugene, to William J. and Flossie (Wilkins) Tracy.
- Nov. 19 A daughter, Thelma M., to Jay M. and Lora May (Decell) Peck.
- Nov. 27 A son, Milton J., to Edward J. and Lilla Bell (Parkhurst) Foster.
- Dec. 29 A son, Willie Robert, to H. Alexander and Hattie May (Roe) Pelkey.

MARRIAGES IN WESTON, 1910

- Mar. 7 Charles Phillips to Nancy Johnson.
- May 5 Edward Richardson Hatch to Martha Ada Turner.
- June 21 Raymond Ernest Howard to Florence Fannie Lovejoy.
- June 28 William Joseph Austin to Rowena May Shattuck.
- Aug. 15 William James Stoddard to Corinna May Little.
- Oct. 15 Ray Obed Moore to Marion C. Eastman.
- Nov. 3 Amiza James Orkins to Bertha M. Holcomb.

DEATHS IN WESTON, 1910

			yr.	mo.	da.
Jan.	10	Frank Edward Stoodley aged	55	5	1
Feb.	1	Isaac Walker	92	1	3
Mar.	2	Malcolm Earl Decell	0	0	2
Apr.	15	Anna Holton	52	5	23
	29	George Elmer Cook	34	8	19
May	5	Caroline E. Rugg	77	2	23
	12	Clark William Pease	68	5	6
	27	Milvina Vera Hobart	29	8	10
	31	Joseph B. Wood	110	3	7
June	24	Ann E. Buss	73	2	3
July	20	Edwin J. Brown	70	0	0
Sept.	10	Charles Emil Kastner	59	1	0
Oct.	2	Bessie Eva Lord	3	4	24
Nov.	1	Dorothy Jane Marshall	77	3	6
Dec.	12	Myland James Tracy	0	1	0

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD:

Seven legal schools have been maintained during the past year, the high school, three graded schools, and three district schools with a total enrollment of about one hundred thirty-five.

The high school has done excellent work and has maintained the standard required by the state. Graduates of the Weston High School are now attending the high schools at Brattleboro, Chester, and Ludlow, and all are doing satisfactory work. It is certain that many more young people will attend a high school if they can begin their course at home than would do so if they had to be away from home for the entire four years. There are six in the ninth grade this year who may attend the high school next fall if they pass the June examinations. There will be six or seven in the sophomore class, so the school will probably be about as large as usual. This year's eighth grade, which will be ready for the high school one year from next fall, numbers about twelve. If the high school is given up now it will be difficult to start it again. In proportion to its population, Weston has a larger number of pupils attending high school than any other town in the vicinity. It is simply a question of whether or not the town can afford the extra tax of ten or fifteen cents which is required to run the high school.

The work of some of the schools was somewhat interfered with by the change in the teaching force, but the new teachers have done well and good progress is being made.

Much needed repairs have been made on the Island, Bennett, and Shattuck schoolhouses. Double windows on all the schoolhouses would save fuel and add much to the comfort and health of the pupils. A radical change is needed in the heating system in use in the village schoolhouse. It is wrong to require teachers and pupils to remain in a room with a temperature of fifty or fifty-five degrees.

Three teachers' meetings have been held and the work for each term outlined. Citizens are invited to attend these meetings and become familiar with the work. Several of the teachers attended the Teachers' Institute at Bellows Falls in January.

The attention of the citizens is called to the attendance record for the year. The primary school led, with the Island and grammar schools close behind. There were more than three hundred tardy marks in all, an unnecessarily large number. The citizens are urged to assist in securing regular and prompt attendance during the coming year.

Your superintendent made over one hundred visits during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. DORSEY,

Superintendent of Schools

SPRING

	Enroll.	Absent	Tardy	Dismissed	Per cent
High	11	22.5	14	4	95.7
Grammar	23	40.5	31	4	96.2
Intermediate	17	54.5	21	0	93.9
Primary	15	27	7	1	97.8
Bennett	15	77	3	1	89.5
Island	19	32	15	2	96.5
Shattuck	18	57	7	4	93.4

FALL

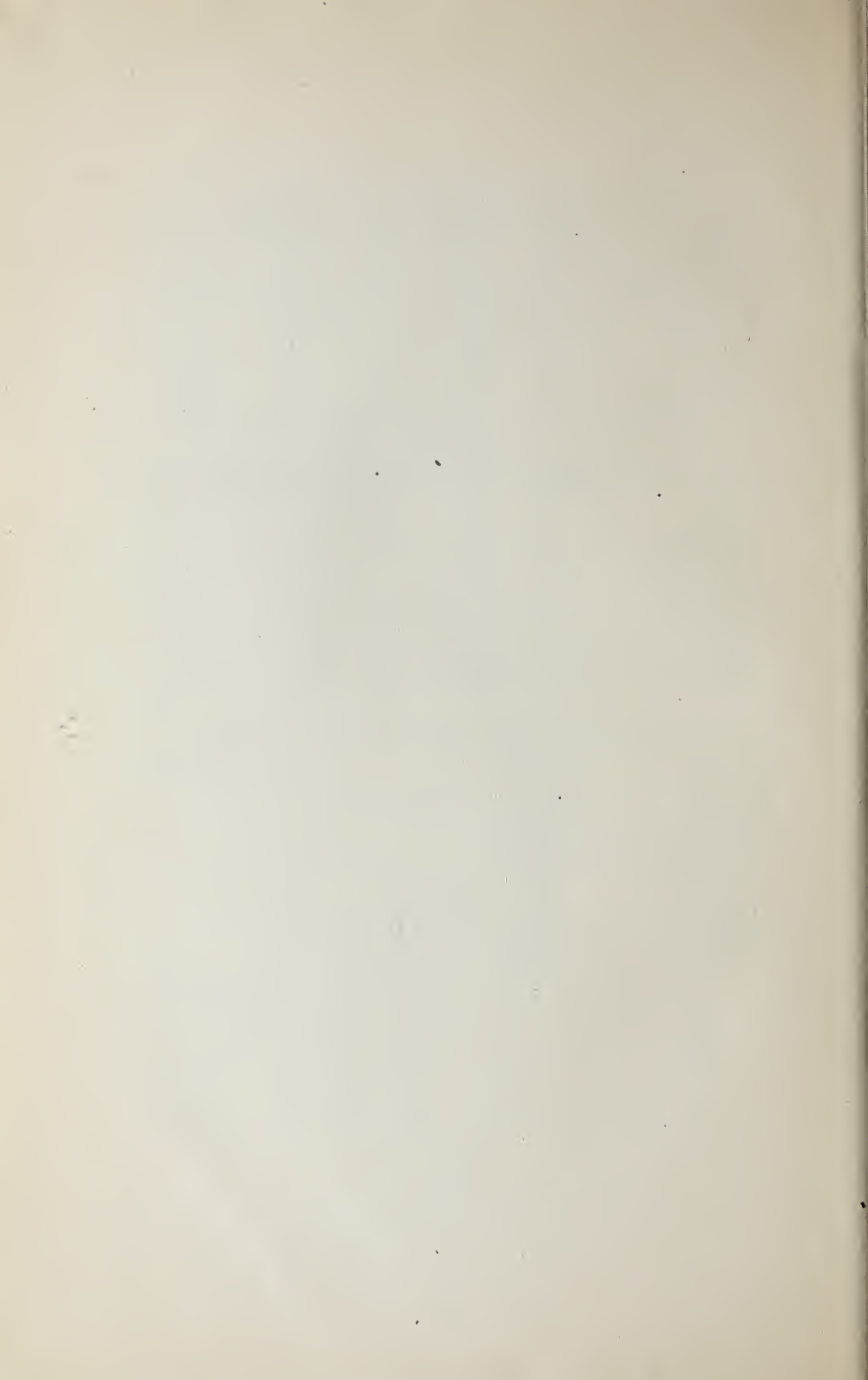
	Enroll.	Absent	Tardy	Dismissed	Per cent
High	10	10.5	16	4	97
Grammar	18	36	46	1	94.9
Intermediate	23	58.5	12	4	94.6
Primary	17	45	6	0	94.6
Bennett	16	80	8	7	89.3
Island	18	22.5	3	2	97.4
Shattuck	22	76.5	32	8	89.2

WINTER

	Enroll.	Absent	Tardy	Dismissed	Per cent
High	9	20.5	23	1	92.2
Grammar	18	36	31	1	94.4
Intermediate	20	59.5	6	1	90.5
Primary	11	11.5	4	0	96.6
Bennett	15	65.5	18	3	86.8
Island	21	60	9	0	92.5
Shattuck	14	42.5	12	18	90.9

YEAR

	Per cent
High	94.7
Grammar	95.4
Intermediate	93.4
Primary	95.8
Bennett	88.7
Island	95.5
Shattuck	91.3





TOWN MEETING

The inhabitants of the town of Weston who are legal voters in Town Meeting are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in Weston on Tuesday the 7th day of March, A. D., 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

“ 2 To act on the Auditors' report.

“ 3 To elect the necessary town officers.

“ 4 To see if the town will vote to have the taxes paid into the treasury.

“ 5 To see if the town will vote to raise money to pay the current expenses.

“ 6 To see if the town will vote to pay a part or whole of its indebtedness.

“ 7 To see if the town will vote to raise money to keep its highways in repair.

“ 8 To see if the town will vote to raise money in addition to that required by law to replenish the free Public Library.

“ 9 To see if the town will vote to turn the five volumes of Vermont Historical Gazetteer now in the Town Clerk's office into the free Public Library.

“ 10 To see if the town will vote to raise money for permanent highways in accordance with Section 8 of act III of the acts of 1906.

“ 11 To vote yes or no shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town.

“ 12 To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

W. S. SHATTUCK

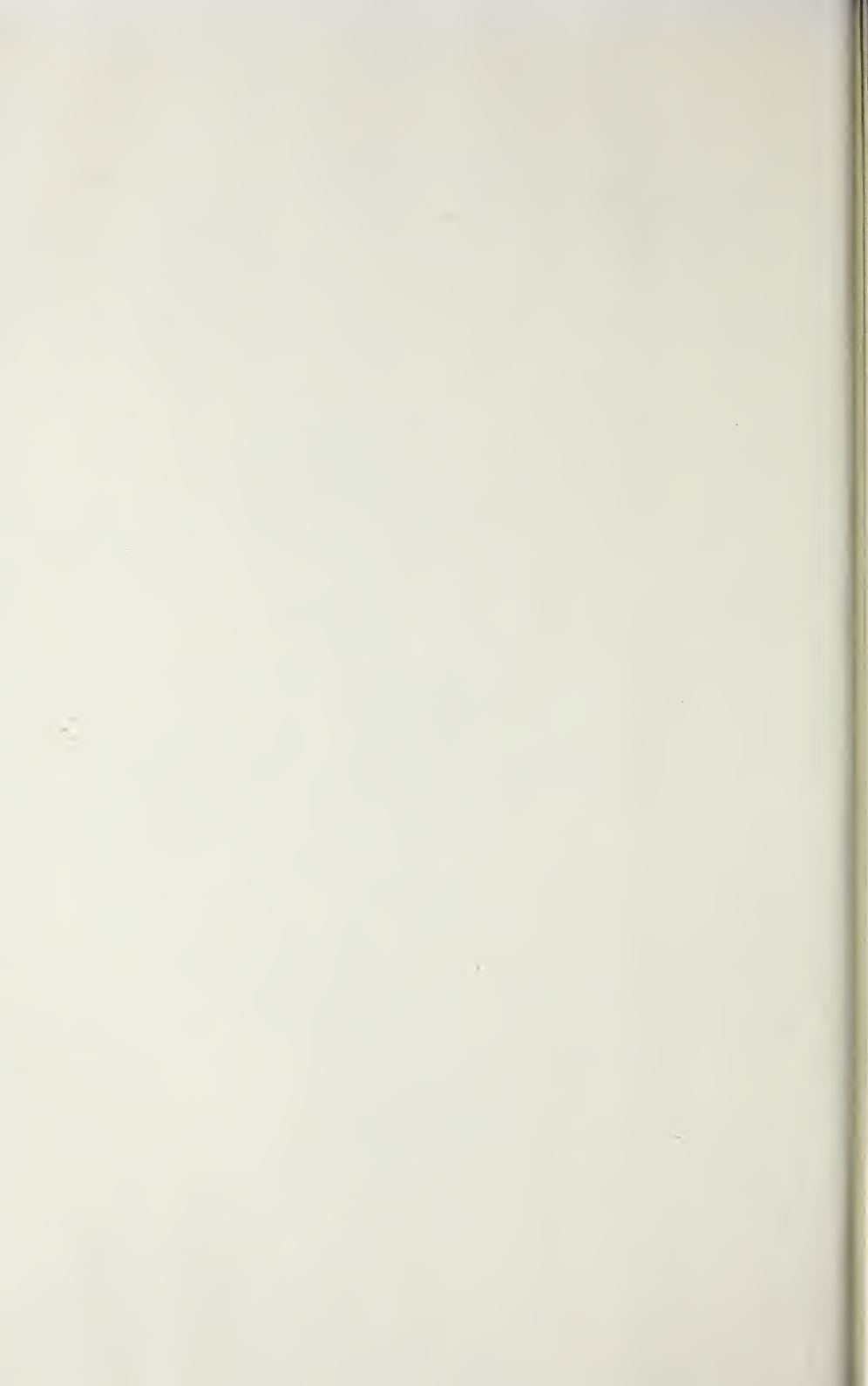
J. W. CARVER

W. H. SHEPPARD

} Selectmen

Dated at Weston, Feb. 6, 1911.





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